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SUBJ: IRANIAN QUERIES ON MAURITANIA COUP AND OAU CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 183912

I REALIZE THAT IRANIAN REQUESTS FOR ASSESSMENTS ON VARIOUS
AFRICAN MATTERS HAVE AT TIMES ADDED CONSIDERABLY TO THE BURDEN
YOU AND YOUR COLLEAGUES MUST BEAR. WE ARE INDEED APPRECIATIVE
OF THE EFFORTS YOU HAVE MADE AND IN PARTICULAR MATERIAL ON
MAURITANIA. COMING ON THE HEELS OF THE COUPS IN AFGHANISTAN
AND THE PDRY, THE MAURITANIAN COUP WAS IMMEDIATELY INTERPRETED
HERE AS ANOTHER LEFTIST VICTORY. THE PRESS AT FIRST PLAYED
UP THE COUP IN ALARMING TERMS AND THE GOI WAS QUITE JITTERY.
OUR ABILITY TO PROVIDE KEY OFFICIALS WITH A CORRECT
INTERPRETATION OF EVENTS HAS BEEN VERY USEFUL. THANKS.
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